IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO. 826 OF 2006

Vishwakarma Tara Chandra ... Petitioner

Versus

The Head Master, Bhavan's A.H. Wadia High School & Ors. ... Respondents

Ms. J.R. Deshmukh for Petitioenr.

Mr. P.M. Palashikar for R. No. 1.

Mr. P.P. Chavan i/by Little & Co. for R.NOs. 2 and 3.

Mr. R.M. Sawant, Government Pleader for R.Nos. 4 and 5.

CORAM : F.I. REBELLO &
ANOOP V. MOHTA, JJ.
DATED : MARCH 23, 2006

P.C.

. Rule. Heard forthwith.

. The grievance of the Petitioner is in the matter of correction of name and date of birth. The mistake in the name and date of birth in the school records remained and consequent to this S.S.C. and H.S.C. certificates also show incorrect name and birth date of the Petitioner. Petitioner is seeking admission to the Institution of Aviation &

Aviation Safety for B.Sc. (Aviation) Course, and for that purpose requires correction in the name and birth date. The certificate of birth from the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths shows the date of birth as 25.10.1986 and the name of the child as Vishwakarma and name of the father as Tarachand.

. The secondary school Code 2002, in terms of Rule 26.3 and 26.4 along with Appendix 6 permits correction in the name as also the date of birth on complying with the provisions of the said rules and the appendix. An enquiry however, has to be conducted and change ordered by the Education Inspector, Greater Mumbai. Considering that, prima facie we are satisfied that the name has been shown erroneously as also the date of birth. The Petitioner is directed within one week from today to make an Application to the Education Inspector, Greater Bombay. On receipt of such application, the Education Inspector, Greater Bombay after conducting the enquiry as contemplated and after hearing the Petitioner, pass necessary orders. On such orders being passed in favour of the

Petitioner, the other respondents to carry out the changes in the entries in terms of the procedure laid down for effecting the changes. The Education Inspector to complete the enquiry within four weeks from today.

. With the above observations, petition stands disposed of. All parties to act on the copy of this order duly authenticated by the Associate of this court.

(F.I. REBELLO,J.)

(ANOOP V. MOHTA,J.)